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- Dissolution of 100 Border Regiment 1.
- 2. 425 Border Guard Battalion

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STATE ARMY

- 1. In March 1951, 100 Border Regiment of Kavaje was dissolved: 1 Battalion and 3 Battalion remained in Kavaje; 2 Battalion and 4 Battalion went to Vlone. The commander of 1 Battalion was Capt. Acema Zisi, age 43, from Vithkuq.
- 2. On 4 July 1951, headquarters of 425 Border Guard Battalion was in Bilisht. The Battalion had three companies, each of which had four platoons. Commanding officer of the battalion was Capt. Selman Ibraim from Gjinokaster; political commissar was Kentro Amsa, age 30.
- 3. Headquarters of 1 Company, 425 Border Guard Battalion, was at Dardhe. Headquarters of 2 Company was at Kapeshtice, and headquarters of 3 Company was in the Pogradec area. Platoons of 1 Company were at Ventahove (sic), Cyteze, Arreze, and Nikolice. The commanding officer of 1 Company was 2nd Lt. Nevrus Ysi, age 28, from Berat; political commissar, until the middle of June 1951, was 2nd Lt. Jani Mersini, age 25, from Devoll. In the middle of June 1951, Mersini was transferred to Tirana.

Comment: This regiment was a training center for border 25X1A guard units.

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